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In re Application of:

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PROTEINS AND PRODUCTS RELATED

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Box AF Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

For:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated May 8, 2000 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1, 31-43 and 47-49 of the above-identified application. It is noted that claims 44-46 have been deemed allowable by the Examiner.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- An extension of time for responding to the final rejection for 1. month(s):
 - □ was filed on
 - is submitted herewith.
- A timely response to the final rejection has been filed. 2.
- A fee in the amount of \$310.00 is: 3.
 - □ Required.
 - Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal).
- Applicant has qualified for the 50% reduction in fee for an independent inventor, non 4. profit organization or small business concern and a fee in the amount of \$155.00 is: ■ Required.

 - □ Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal).
- Please charge the required fee, if any, to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 5. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted, November 8, 2000 Date Laura A. Coruzzi (Reg. No.) By: (Reg. No.) T. Christopher Tsang

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